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Title: AESTHETICALLY IMPROVED SIDE
PANELS FOR DISPOSABLE
GARMENTS AND METHODS OF
MAKING THE SAME

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Examiner: J. Stephens

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FOR FILING
OF RESPONSE UNDER RULE 1.136(a)**

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Dear Sir:

This Petition is filed with a Request for Continued Examination in
response to a final Office Action mailed 22 September 2004. The time period for

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submission of this Request for Continued Examination was set to expire 22 December 2004.

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner for an extension of time of one (1) month for filing the Request for Continued Examination in the above-identified Patent Application, such extension to expire 22 January 2005, which time is within the statutory period.

The Fee set in Rule 1.17 for the above-period is enclosed. If there is any deficiency or overage in the Fee required for the above-requested extension, please charge or credit Deposit Account No. 19-3550. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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